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Prior Application: Joseph MOONEY
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Examiner: S. Chaudhry
For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR
CLEANING OXYGEN LINES

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Sir:

This is a request for filing a divisional application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) of pending prior application Serial No. 09/584,790, filed on June 1, 2000, entitled SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR CLEANING OXYGEN LINES, by the inventor named in the prior application.

1. Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the Declaration as originally filed.
2. The Filing Fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE PRIOR APPLICATION
LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELED BY AMENDMENT BELOW
PLUS ANY CLAIMS ADDED BY ACCOMPANYING PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Basic Fee							\$	370.00
Total Claims	23	-	20	=	03	x	9	= \$ 27.00
Independent Claims	2	-	3	=	00	x	42	= \$ 0.00
Total Filing Fee							\$	397.00

3. A check including the amount of \$397.00 is enclosed to cover the Filing Fee.

4. Cancel claims 1-12 before calculating the Filing Fee.

5. Amend the specification by inserting, before the first line:

--This is a divisional application of U.S. Serial No. 09/584,790, filed June 1, 2000.--.

6. New drawings are enclosed, seven (7) sheets, Figs. 1-7.

7. The power of attorney is set forth in the Declaration in the prior application or an associate power of attorney is hereby granted to:

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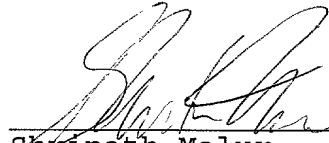


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The undersigned hereby declares that no matter contained in the specification, including the claims, and drawings filed in the present divisional application would have been new matter in

the prior application Serial No. 09/584,790, as originally filed
on June 1, 2000.



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